

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Year-End Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
January - December 2000**

Juvenile Court **MONTGOMERY**
Court Number **63**

January - December 2000 2,722 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting 2,200 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

1	OR	0.03% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
8	OR	0.23% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
2	OR	0.06% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
1	OR	0.03% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
4	OR	0.11% Aggravated Sexual Battery
3	OR	0.08% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
7	OR	0.20% Other Sexual Offenses
56	OR	1.58% Aggravated Assault
2	OR	0.06% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
3	OR	0.08% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
197	OR	5.54% Assault
15	OR	0.42% Reckless Endangerment
1	OR	0.03% Aggravated Arson
4	OR	0.11% Arson
40	OR	1.13% Aggravated Burglary
234	OR	6.58% Theft of Property
68	OR	1.91% Vandalism
3	OR	0.08% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
8	OR	0.23% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
27	OR	0.76% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
2	OR	0.06% Cruelty to Animals

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15	OR	0.42% Sale of Controlled Substances
80	OR	2.25% Other Drug Offenses
90	OR	2.53% Possession of Controlled Substances
7	OR	0.20% Criminal Attempt
6	OR	0.17% Carrying Weapons on School Property
15	OR	0.42% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
13	OR	0.37% Evading Arrest
4	OR	0.11% Escape
5	OR	0.14% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
99	OR	2.78% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
12	OR	0.34% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
19	OR	0.53% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
11	OR	0.31% Filing a False Police Report
19	OR	0.53% Criminal Impersonation
36	OR	1.01% Disorderly Conduct
28	OR	0.79% Criminal Trespass
1	OR	0.03% Public Intoxication
1	OR	0.03% Gambling
936	OR	26.33% Traffic
116	OR	3.26% Local Ordinances
2	OR	0.06% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
3	OR	0.08% Contempt of Court
163	OR	4.59% Violation of Probation
14	OR	0.39% Violation of Aftercare
125	OR	3.52% Unruly Behavior
264	OR	7.43% Truancy
120	OR	3.38% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
99	OR	2.78% Possession of Tobacco Products
14	OR	0.39% Violation of a Valid Court Order
147	OR	4.14% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
16	OR	0.45% Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
1	OR	0.03% Foster Care Review
382	OR	10.75% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
6	OR	0.17% Other

3,555	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 2,722 Cases, There Were

3,555 Referral Sources

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Referral Source

2,239	OR	63.0% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
391	OR	11.0% Were Referred By Parents
196	OR	5.5% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
259	OR	7.3% Were Referred By School
3	OR	0.1% Were Referred By CSA
159	OR	4.5% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
144	OR	4.1% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
9	OR	0.3% Were Referred By Other Court
121	OR	3.4% Were Referred By Victim
8	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
26	OR	0.7% Other
3,555	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 2,722 Cases, There Were 3,555 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

1,710	OR	48.1% Petition Filed
3	OR	0.1% Motion Filed
1,837	OR	51.7% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
3	OR	0.1% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
1	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
1	OR	0.0% Other
3,555	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 2,722 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
322	OR	11.8% Juvenile Detention Facility
1	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
1	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
2,398	OR	88.1% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
2,722	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

73	OR	2.7% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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230	OR	8.4% Juvenile Detention Facility
5	OR	0.2% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
4	OR	0.1% Foster Family
13	OR	0.5% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
2,395	OR	88.0% Does Not Apply
2	OR	0.1% Other
2,722	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2000, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

2,200 Children

Age of Child At Referral

232	OR	10.5% Birth Through Age 10
114	OR	5.2% Ages 11 Through 12
339	OR	15.4% Ages 13 Through 14
837	OR	38.0% Ages 15 Through 16
674	OR	30.6% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
4	OR	0.2% Unknown/Not Reported
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

1,349	OR	61.3% Male
847	OR	38.5% Female
4	OR	0.2% Unknown
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

1,388	OR	63.1% White
604	OR	27.5% African American
7	OR	0.3% Native American
28	OR	1.3% Asian
111	OR	5.0% Mixed Race
62	OR	2.8% Unknown
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 2,200 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

69	OR	3.1% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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716	OR	32.5% Living With Both Biological Parents
83	OR	3.8% Living With Father And Stepmother
275	OR	12.5% Living With Mother And Stepfather

614	OR	27.9% Living With Mother
148	OR	6.7% Living With Father
214	OR	9.7% Living With Relatives
6	OR	0.3% Living With Adoptive Parents
14	OR	0.6% Living With Foster Family
39	OR	1.8% Living In A Group Home
13	OR	0.6% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
0	OR	0.0% Living Independently
50	OR	2.3% Unknown
27	OR	1.2% Other
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

1,885	OR	85.7% Were Enrolled In School
137	OR	6.2% Were Not Enrolled In School
178	OR	8.1% Unknown
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

68	OR	3.1% Too Young For School
19	OR	0.9% Pre-School
21	OR	1.0% Finished Kindergarten
26	OR	1.2% Finished Grade 1
23	OR	1.0% Finished Grade 2
26	OR	1.2% Finished Grade 3
35	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 4
67	OR	3.0% Finished Grade 5
111	OR	5.0% Finished Grade 6
162	OR	7.4% Finished Grade 7
295	OR	13.4% Finished Grade 8
314	OR	14.3% Finished Grade 9
424	OR	19.3% Finished Grade 10
316	OR	14.4% Finished Grade 11
45	OR	2.0% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
20	OR	0.9% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
228	OR	10.4% Unknown
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

24	OR	1.1% Were Enrolled In Special Education
1,947	OR	88.5% Not Enrolled In Special Education
229	OR	10.4% Unknown
2,200	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 5,749 Specific **Case Outcomes**

Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

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201	OR	3.50% Case Dismissed
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11	OR	0.19% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>	
319	OR	5.55% Warned/Counseled	
259	OR	4.51% Held Open For Review	
275	OR	4.78% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court	
73	OR	1.27% Probation To Parents	
44	OR	0.77% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service	
82	OR	1.43% Referred For Mental Health Counseling	
132	OR	2.30% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling	
34	OR	0.59% Referred To Alternative School	
2	OR	0.03% Referred To Private Child Agency	
613	OR	10.66% Referred To Defensive Driving School	
29	OR	0.50% Referred To Alcohol Safety School	
275	OR	4.78% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program	
269	OR	4.68% Driver's License Held Informally	
4	OR	0.07% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR	
6	OR	0.10% Private Mental Health Placement	
1	OR	0.02% Private Mental Retardation Placement	
3	OR	0.05% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility	
47	OR	0.82% Placement with Relative/Other Individual	
150	OR	2.61% Fine	
333	OR	5.79% Public Service	
68	OR	1.18% Restitution	
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned	
47	OR	0.82% No Contact Order	
14	OR	0.24% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order	
115	OR	2.00% House Arrest	
39	OR	0.68% Court Defined Curfew	
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment	
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion	
4	OR	0.07% Released From Probation	
3	OR	0.05% Transferred To Adult Court	
6	OR	0.10% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment	
8	OR	0.14% DCS Commitment - Determinate	
140	OR	2.44% DCS Commitment/Custody	
26	OR	0.45% DCS Commitment - Suspended	
26	OR	0.45% DCS Intensive Probation	
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation	
49	OR	0.85% DCS Probation	
200	OR	3.48% Placed Under a Valid Court Order	
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS	
20	OR	0.35% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition	
1	OR	0.02% Parental Rights Terminated	
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated	
13	OR	0.23% Order of Reference To DCS	MONTGOMERY
1,303	OR	22.66% Court Costs	
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated	
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued	
380	OR	6.61% Custody Changed	
7	OR	0.12% Custody Unchanged	

0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
1	OR	0.02% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
1	OR	0.02% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
1	OR	0.02% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
1	OR	0.02% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
114	OR	1.98% Other
5,749	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 3,555 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

2,555	OR	71.9% Disposed By The Judge
4	OR	0.1% Disposed By The Referee
996	OR	28.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
3,555	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 2,722 Cases Disposed,
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 3,555 Referral Reasons Was:

334	OR	9.4% Dismissed
14	OR	0.4% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
496	OR	14.0% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
298	OR	8.4% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
56	OR	1.6% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
1,070	OR	30.1% Informal Adjustment
257	OR	7.2% Pretrial Diversion
3	OR	0.1% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
3	OR	0.1% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
375	OR	10.5% Special Proceeding
78	OR	2.2% Review Concluded
283	OR	8.0% Case Held Open
288	OR	8.1% Other
3,555	OR	100.0% Total